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SUBJECT: REFUGEES RETURN TO SUDAN FROM DRC

**¶1.** (U) The United Nations High Commission for Refugees (UNHCR) began the assisted return of Sudanese refugees from the DRC on June 7. Two hundred and twenty six Sudanese refugees left the Ingoboko area of Orientale province, DRC by UNHCR convoy for home in the Yei and Juba areas of southern Sudan.

**¶2.** (U) UNHCR estimated that 6,622 Congolese refugees remain in Sudan, and 13,492 Sudanese refugees remain in DRC.

**¶3.** (U) UNHCR also continues the ongoing repatriation of Congolese refugees from Sudan, which began earlier this year.  
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